

MAY 2 1 2004

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION 37 C.F.R. 1.6 &1.8

I CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING TRANSMITTED BY FACSIMILE TO THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE ON THE DATE AND TO THE NUMBER SHOWN BELOW, FAX. NO. 703-872-9306

COMPRISING THREE (3) SHEETS IN/COUDING THIS PAGE

nuel W. Apicelli Reg, No. 36,427

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of: Charles W. GARDNER, Jr. et al.

Serial No.: 10/608,470

Filed: 27 August 2003 Group Art Unit: 1646

For: WIDE FIELD METHOD FOR DETECTING PATHOGENIC MICROORGANISMS

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please find enclosed for filing:

Revocation of Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Attorney

Please charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to

Deposit Account No. 04-1679.

Return postcard

Respectfully submitted,

Samuel W. Apicelli

Registration No. 36,427

Customer No. 41396 DUANE MORRIS LLP

305 North Front Street, P.O. Box 1003

Harrisburg, PA 17108-1003

(717) 237-5516

Docket No.: E2079-00032

HBG\127674.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Charles W. GARDNER, Jr. et al.

Serial No.: 10/608,470

Filed: 27 August 2003

For: WIDE FIELD METHOD FOR DETECTING PATHOGENIC MICROORGANISMS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, an authorized representative of Assignee, Chemimage, Inc., in the above-identified patent application, revokes all powers of attorney previously granted, and appoints the following persons as his new attorneys, with full power of revocation and substitution, to act in his behalf in all matters affecting the above-identified patent application.

The undersigned hereby appoints the practitioners of Customer No. 41396, namely, Samuel W. Apicelli, Registration No. 36,427; Arthur L. Plevy, Registration No. 24,277; L. Lawton Rogers, III, Registration No. 24,302; Lewis F. Gould, Jr., Registration No. 25,057; William H. Murray, Registration No. 27,218; Stephan P. Gribok, Registration No. 29,643; Peter J. Cronk, Registration No. 32,021; Richard Redano, Registration No. 32,292; Robert E. Rosenthal, Registration No. 33,450; Richard A. Paikoff, Registration No. 34,892; Steven E. Koffs, Registration No. 37,163; Paul A. Schwarz, Registration No. 37,577; Gail A. Dalickas, Registration No. 40,979; Darius C. Gambino, Registration No. 41,472; Carl A. Giordano, Registration No. 41,780; D.

Docket No.: E2079-00008

MAY-14-2004 14:51

Joseph English, Registration No. 42,514; Edward J. Howard, Registration No. 42,670; Gary Maze, Registration No. 42,851; Patrick D. McPherson, Registration No. 46,255; Mark C. Comtois, Registration No. 46,285; Joseph Powers, Registration No. 47,006; Patrick C. Muldoon, Registration No. 47,343; and William J. Kauffman, Registration No. 55,319; as his attorneys to prosecute this application for patent, with full power of substitution and revocation to amend or otherwise act relative to him as they may deem advisable, to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith and generally to do all matters and things needful in the premises and to receive the Letters Patent.

Correspondence should be directed to Customer No. 41396:

Samuel W. Apicelli, Esquire
Duane Morris LLP
305 North Front Street, P.O. Box 1003
Harrisburg, PA 17108-1003
Facsimile: (717) 232-4015

E-mail: swapicelli@duanemorris.com and address all telephone calls to: Samuel W. Aplcelli, Esq.; (717) 237-5516.

Chemimage, Inc.

Date: 5/14/199

Wesley Hutchison

COO

HBG\127537.1

Docket No.: E2079-00032